

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH

TENTATIVE AGENDA

Intra-operative Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)

January 24, 2008, CVB 1pm-3pm

I. Introductions – Meeting open to all interested parties.

II. Information Gathering

In response to the Certificate of Need Commission's request at the December 11, 2007, meeting, the department is gathering information regarding the use of intra-operative MRIs. At the meeting, a request was made by the Commission to receive background information and data on this topic. Before the Commission can begin to consider any potential action(s), it asks for sufficient information upon which to base its discussions regarding the issue, and any suggestions offered. The following outline will assist the department in presenting the requested information to the Commissioners. Today's meeting is intended to obtain information, comments and the views of the field that can be incorporated into the department's report to the Commission.

A) Define the issue

i) In part, this includes providing education/information to the Commission on "what is intra-operative MRI."

ii) Where is the expertise on this subject and what resources can be used to clearly define the issue?

B) Who is affected by this issue, and in what manner?

C) What are potential solutions to the identified issue?

D) Is this an issue of immediate concern and for what reasons?

E) What is the impact of taking no action at this time?

III. Other Comments